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In re Application of
DOMAZAKIS, Emmanouil
Application No.: 10/577,812
PCT No.: PCT/GB04/00050
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For: METHOD FOR THE PREPARATION OF
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FERMENTED DRY OR SEMI-DRIED
MEAT PRODUCTS, WITH PARTIAL
SUBSTITUTION OF THE ANIMAL FAT
AND DIRECT INCORPORATION OF
OLIVE OIL

DECISION ON PETITION

The petition to revive under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed 28 April 2006 in the above-captioned application is hereby **GRANTED** as follows:

Applicants' statement that "the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional" meets the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3).

A review of the application file reveals that applicants have submitted the basic national fee and the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) have been satisfied. Therefore, the request to revive the application abandoned under 35 U.S.C. 371(d) is granted as to the National stage in the United States of America.

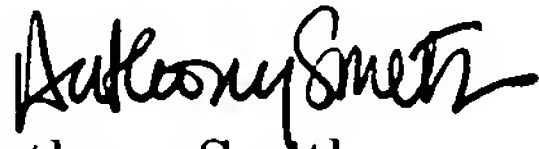
It is noted that the declaration submitted on 28 April 2006 is not in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a)(3) which requires that the oath or declaration identify the inventor and country of citizenship of the inventor. In this case, the sole inventor has listed his country of citizenship as "Hellenic" which is not recognized by the United States Designated/Elected Office. Since the declaration does not clearly identify the citizenship of the inventor, it is considered defective under 37 CFR 1.497(a)(3) and 37 CFR 1.63(c)(1).

This application is being forwarded to the United States Designated/Elected Office (US/DO/EO) for continued processing including the issuance of a Notification of Missing

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Requirements (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) indicating that an oath or declaration along with the surcharge for filing the oath or declaration after the thirty-month period is required.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anthony Smith". The signature is stylized with a large, looped "A" and a cursive "S".

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